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## Seen, Heard and Told

*By The Editor*

In our opinion, the best thought about the loan-lease plan comes from Fred Sullens: that the United States buy the British Navy and then lease it back to Britain. The more one thinks of it, the more feasible it becomes.

John Pressgrove contacted Pat Harrison and Red Briscoe contacted Theo. Bilbo over long distance with reference to these, our U. S. Senators, helping expedite the starting of the Food Stamp Plan. Both senators promised immediate assistance.

Even the erudite Keene Huffington dated an official paper as of Jan., 1940.

We wish to congratulate our supervisors and our aldermen upon their joint agreement to finance the Food Stamp Plan that we have helped to work on these many months.

We want to see all sources of friction between our county "dads" and our city "dads" erased, for the aim of the county and the aim of the city are identical. One rises or falls with the other.

Byron Hunter is receiving a good deal of encouragement about the Hill Council. A number of farmers here have indicated that they would make a modest contribution to get the ball rolling. The "idea" started here, and, therefore, this county should make the first move, for, when started, it will spread to include all hill counties.

Committees on the city council should not only be given authority over their respective spheres, but they should be backed up by other members of the council. Much confusion has already resulted from lack of application of this principle. Committees should be "backed-up", or there should be no committees.

Continuing discussion of city affairs, we still contend that there are too many "dark spots" in Grenada.

**As for a city-owned generating plant and distribution system, we believe the first step should be the employment of a competent electrical engineer to estimate the cost of a new generating plant and estimate the value of the existing distribution system. There is probably not a layman in Grenada who knows a damn thing about these vital factors. While it is legally possible, it is economically unfeasible to erect a distribution system duplicating the existing one.**

John, Keene and Abe said they surely did have a good Goose Dinner last Sunday out at Fannie's and Ben's home. Said they didn't have to buy any supper that night.

According to unimpeachable authority, one of our best citizens must have lost some of his teeth at a Sugar Bowl game in New Orleans recently, as he came back lisping.

Rancher Revell has introduced a startling innovation on his ranch by dressing his calves in cloth garments. One negro boy reported, "Gawd, Miss, you ought to have seen them calves. Thare own mamas would not let them git near them. Them calves didn't git no milk until thay wallowed off them clothes."

No more free Sardis papers. The former recipient of these free exchange copies thanked Al Thomason for them, thinking that was ye editor. No more free Sardis papers. But, I guess that will mean $1.50 for Albert Fletcher

After all those Methodists left last Thursday there was hardly a chicken left in Grenada.

Red Briscoe must be the busiest man in town; looking after 444, keeping a weather eye on Bilbo and Ford, and publicizing the power company.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams certainly have a pretty kid.

Even a man of our age misses the beautiful forms, half-nude, which adorn the beaches in Biloxi on summer days. A man who cannot enjoy looking at a beautiful slim figure draped in a scanty bathing suit ought to be taken out and chloroformed.

I stopped off in Jackson between buses and saw the junior member of the former and now dissolved partnership of "Me and Mike." He is getting a big belly on himself.

One of our young lady friends now in Grenada, came from Mendenhall, and I know it will shock her to hear that the bus did not even stop in Mendenhall. I had planned to swap the editor of The News, so I could give her the copy every week.

The old lady and I slipped off to Biloxi on a sort of belated honeymoon last week-end. We should have brought ear muffs and furs.

## All Saints Auxiliary Again Sponsor Mardi Gras Ball

Meeting at the home of Mrs. E. R. Burkley on Monday afternoon, members discussed plans for the coming Mardi Gras Ball held annually in the spacious gymnasium of the Grenada High School. In the absence of Miss Mary Straham, president, Mrs. E. R. Burkley, vice president, presided and announced the following as chairmen for the ball, Mrs. Burkley to be co-chairman of each.

Mrs. C. C. Cathey, chairman of ball, assisted by Mrs. J. H. Neely and Miss Eloise Wilkins.

Mrs. C. S. Liles, chairman of Tea

Mrs. Harry Burkley, chairman of Music.

Mrs E. L. Wilkins, chairman of Queen's Tea and order of selection for Queen 1941.

Mrs. T. H. Weir, chairman of Decoration.

Mrs. W. W. Whitaker, chairman of Publicity.

The ball will be a truly Mardi Gras Masquerade this year. Announcement concerning the awarding of prizes for costumes, etc., will be made in the near future.

Mrs. Harry Burkley, chairman of Music is endeavoring to secure an outstanding orchestra for this brilliant affair.

Mrs. Liles is busy with plans for the matinee tea and will make announcements each week concerning this enjoyable part of the program. Hon. Andrew Carothers is 1940 King. Miss Billy Guy Thomas is 1940 Queen.

## Grenada Chapter O. E. S. Installs Officers

Grenada Chapter of the O. E. S. held its stated meeting Tuesday, January 14. At the close of this session the following officers were installed for the ensuing year:

Mrs. Nettie Jobe, Worthy Matron; Mr. Eli Whitaker, Worthy Patron; Mrs. Pauline Griffis, Associate Matron; Mr. Jim Keeton, Associate Patron; Mrs. Gertrude Keeton, Secretary; Mrs. Sallie Irby, Treasurer; Mrs. Myrtis Smith, Conductress; Mrs. Nora Hayward, Associate Conductress; Mrs. Myrtle Thomas, Chaplain; Mrs. Emma Rayburn, Marshall; Mrs Dell Lufkin, Organist; Mrs. Mae Parker, Adah; Mrs. Harriet Whitaker, Ruth; Mrs. Annie Mae Jones, Esther; Mrs. Janie Gum, Martha; Mrs. Annie Costilow, Electa; Mrs. Ella Theisman, Warder; Mrs. Buelah Jackson, Sentinel; Mrs. C. C. Waterman, Chairman of the Publicity Committee.

Mrs. C. C. Waterman was Installing Matron. Mrs. Myrtle Thomas was Installing Marshall.

The officers installed, wore evening gowns, enhancing the beauty of the O. E. S. installation, as it is a beautiful and impressive ceremony. Grenada O. E. S. Chapter looks forward to an excellent year of outstanding work with much good to be accomplished

In Jackson, I had time to ask several retail merchants how they liked the Food Stamp Plan. Without exception, they bosted it. For Grenada itt will be as good as two hosiery mills, with less cost to the community.

## The South

By MRS. W. W. W.

We of the deep South are so prone to limit our horizon when considering our economic status that we fail to appreciate just how great an area the South really covers. From the Great Atlantic, whose shores are Virginia soil, to the Great Plains of Texas, lies an area one-third of the United States. The Atlantic to our East, the Gulf of Mexico to the South, the Ohio river to the North and the Mountain Range to the West, here lies our Southland. We bask in a climate of the temperate and subtropic zones, and are endowed with an abundance of natural resources. After reading "up" on the subject of our assets and liabilities, I would like to submit them here for consideration.

Thirty-six million people. 97.8 percent native born. Total area of land is 552,000,000 acres of land representing 300 types of soil. On this land we have 2,230,000 farms or 40 percent of the nation's total.

Forests—Commercial forest area 198 million acres about 40 percent of the nation's total. Saw timber area, 30 percent of total, Virgin timber, 15 percent of total; Hardwood area 78 million board feet or 43 percent of nation's total; Soft wood 121 million board feet or 8 percent of nation's total; Southern Yellow Pine 118 million board feet or 8 percent of nation's total.

Minerals: soft coal reserves 5 percent of world's total and 10 percent of nation's total; soft coal 20 percent. Coal seams untapped 98 percent. Iron ore 10 percent of nation's total; Phosphates 98 percent of nation's total production; Petroleum more than 65 percent of nation's production, and new fields are being opened up since this estimate made: Natural gas more than 60 percent. Other available minerals are limestone, granite, sandstone, basalt, slate, marble, copper, bauxite, manganese, clay, lime soapstone, and barite.

OUR WEALTH AND INCOME

Tangible wealth (Southeast) $1,498 per capita: Bank resources, highest Southeastern state not over $275.00 per capita; Highest state in nation $1,850 per capita. Saving deposits in 7 S. E. states under $50. per capita, 6 Northeastern states, over $500.00 per capita; Average income, the South $314.00; the nation $604.00.

COTTON AND TOBACCO

Total annual production ranges 12,500,000 bales to 17,000,000 bales. In 1932-33—world consumption of South's cotton was 52.2 percent. Tobacco production was 1,600,000 pounds or 85 percent of nation's total.

TEXTILES

Pig Iron, Cigarettes; producing cotton spindles in 1929, 58 percent of national total; counties with over 100,000 each, 56 of nation's 79; Cigarettes 84 percent of nation's total; pig iron, 7 percent of nation's total.

FISH AND GAME

Furs 6,000,000 furs from 20,000 trappers. Value of commercial fisheries S. E. 22 million dollars; nation's 104 million.

TRANSPORTATION (VERY SIGNIFICENT) SOUTHEAST

Main track 52,433.48 mles; main track to 1000 population, Southeast 2.05; nation 2.03. miles. Main track per 100 square miles, S. E. 10.27 miles; nation 8.22 miles. Locomotives 11,205 or about 1-5 of nation's total; freight cars 431,264 or 1-5 of nation's; passenger cars 7,979 or about 1-6 of nation's total.

Highways (Southeast) approximately 666,666 or 22.1 percent of nation's total. Surfaced 70,638 or 26.6 percent of nation's total.

OTHER FACILITIES

Mississippi River and its tributaries river system to other regions and to Gulf and Atlantic ports for sea going vessels. Our major air lines in major cities:

(This data concerns the following named states: Mississippi, Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Louisiana, Arkansas, Texas and Oklahoma.)

SEA SHORE AND FISHERIES

Our Southern shores, rivers and lakes abound in shrimp, shad, oysters, clams, scallops, mullett, mackerel, sponge, trout, bass, blue fish, frogs and turtle to the extent that the South furnishes the entire nation with 1-5 of its total commercial fisheries products.

AGRICULTURE

Here in the South we have almost one-half of the country's agricultural workers. It has 4-5 of the nation's female farm workers.

Above are listed the good things about the South and it is with pride that we call attention to other assets equally as important in terms of physical assets. The richness of the South's culture, the nobility of her spirit, her ability to sacrifice and to suffer, the soaring reach of her idealism and the deep roots of understanding, are a world-wide tradition which shall now and forever dignify the pages of history. However, we must face other less pleasant facts and list our liabilities.

On the other side of the picture we see our industrial wage earners in eleven of the 12 states who have an annual wage amounting to two-thirds of the industrial workers in other parts of the country. Taxable property in the South yields to state and local government but three-fifths as much revenue per person as that of the nation. The South has been so unable to accumulate productive capital assets out of her sparce income that the average per capita income from dividends and interests is but 1-4 of that for the rest of the country.

With our negro population, we are credited with having more than half the nation's illiterates. In the South one out of every six children is in high school against one out of four for other sections and the combined endowment of all Southern colleges and universities is less than that of two Northeastern schools.

Our Southland has to bear the scouge of malaria, typhoid, hookworm, pellagra, venereal diseases, tuberculosis and other sickness, which if attacted with adequate means, by medical sci-

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## Who's At The Hospital

BY AINT THEY SWEET

Patients in Hospital: Ike Raspberry, Jr., Tillatoba; Mr. Hardy McDaniel, Carrollton; Dr. A. S. Hill, Holcomb; Mr. Will Young, Big Creek; Mr. Ress Doolittle, State Springs; Mr. Harold Parker, Holcomb; Mrs. L. T. Boone, Carrollton; Mrs. Luther Wise, Eupora; Mrs. Scott Castle, Torrance; Mrs. Catherine Milam, Grenada; Miss Ina Johnson, student nuse, Grenada; Mrs. Alfred A. Bryant and infant daughter, Coffeeville J. Harold Jones, Courtland; Mrs. Grady Marter and infant son, Grenada; Mrs. A. F. Guest and infant son, of Memphis; Mr. George Lamb, Grenada; Mr. Joe M. Moore, Carrollton; Paul Artman, Jr., Grenada.

Patients dismissed since Jan. 8th: Mrs. Joe C. Morgan, Matron at Grenada Hospital; Mrs. J. C. Dabney and infant son, Grenada; Mrs. Etta Dudley, Grenada; Mrs. E. V. Aldridge, Grenada; Mr. Charlie Dye, Grenada; Carol C. Browning, Winona; Mrs. Eunice McCalop, Carrollton; Mrs. Richard Shelton, Coila; Frederic Earl Jones, Grenada; Mr. H. T. Holmes, Winona; Walter Garner, Jr., Grenada; Harold Oswalt, Bellfountain; Mrs. J. C. Miles, Grenada; Mrs. W. J. Addington, Serepta; Mrs. T. L. Adams, Grenada; Frances Hill Perry (infant) Grenada Rt.; Mrs. A. F. Stubbs and infant, Grenada; Mr. T. J. Mormar, Grenada, Rt. 4; Mr. Ernest Corder, Carrollton; Mr. Adley Cohea, Big Creek; Mr. R. J. Sturges, Pope; James Burks, Batesville.

## Mother of Mrs. R. E. Hall Died In Texas Monday

Mrs. Mary Howsley Moore, 80, died in the hospital in Port Arthur, Texas, on Monday, January 13, 1941. She would have been eighty years of age had she lived until the 23rd of this month.

She was born in Adams, Tenn., and was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howsley of that city. She was the last survivor of her generation. About twenty years ago, the family moved to Grenada, and shortly after moving here, Mr. Moore died, since which time, Mrs. Moore has spent her life with her children, latterly with Mrs. Bess Moore in Port Arthur, Texas. She was a jolly, kindly lady, and everyone who knew her loved her for her unfailing good humor.

She was buried in Dickson, Tenn., on January 15, where the ceremonies were conducted by the Methodist minister there, the deceased having been a life long member of that church.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Robert Hall, of Grenada, Mrs. Bess Moore, of Port Arthur, Texas, and Mrs. Charles Lindsey, of Helena, Ark., and two sons, John Moore and Frank Moore, both of Dallas, Texas. To the surviving children, we extend our sympathy.

The remains passed through Grenada Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall joined the other relatives who went to Dickson.

## Charles E. Felts Died In Elliott

Mr. Charles E. Felts died in his home in Elliott on December 27th 1940. He was born at McCarley, Miss. on January 20, 1875. He lived all of his life at McCarley, except the last year thereof when he moved to Elliott. He was a member of the Baptist church.

He was buried at McCarley on December 28th. Rev. J. M. Corey officiated. He lived a long and useful life.

He leaves a number of children and grandchildren to mourn his passing.

Ed. Note: Apologies are made for this belated notice, the facts having arrived too late for last week's issue.

## Grenadians' Kin Died In Houston Wednesday

Mrs. Edward Atkinson, formerly Miss Bertha Martin, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Martin, of eastern Grenada county, died at her home in Houston Wednesday, January 15, 1941. She was a sister of Mrs. Jack Dyre, of Grenada, and a cousin of Mrs. H. A. Alexander, of Grenada. Further details are unavailable.

Henry Marter, one of our best friends, was a recent vistor to the Roach Den.

## THE FOOD STAMP PLAN IS HIGHLY PROBABLE IN GRENADA COUNTY

All local interests have signed the necessary petitions to assure for Grenada County the benefits of the Food Stamp Plan of surplus commodity distributions, and the several petitions were dispatched to Hon. Milo Perkins, head of the Surplus Commodity division of the Department of Agriculture, Tuesday afternoon.

Four petitions were sent: one from the retail grocerymen that they considered the stamp plan the best method of distribution and that they would cooperate in seeing that the plan was carried out according to established regulations; another petition of similar tenor from the wholesale grocerymen; a petition from the bankers that they would handle the stamps without collection costs; and a petition from the county board of supervisors that, if this county is designated by the Secretary of Agriculture as a Food Stamp area, they would provide a revolving fund, estimated at $6000, and would provide the expenses of maintaining an office and an office force to handle the distribution of the stamps. The supervisors, thinking that the City of Grenada should help the county bear the recurring expenses, had delayed action until the city authorities acted. A majority of the city council signed an agreement pledging the city's cooperation in financing the plan, and this action removed the last local obstacle.

With these petitions in Washington, and with Senators Harrison and Bilbo already contacted and pledged to work for Grenada County's immediate designation, it is believed that the Secretary of Agriculture will very shortly authorize the preliminary survey that is a necessary prerequisite of the designation of an area.

The workings of the plan have been been explained so often in these columns that it is not necessary to seek to repeat the details in this article. Suffice to say the plan will, if Grenada County is designated, mean that approximately $40,000 in cash, instead of commodities, will be distributed locally, each month, and that the local cost of the plan will approximate $400 per month plus the interest on about $6000, and that the plan may be abandoned upon thirty days notice by the county authorities and the $6000 recovered in full.

## Briscoe Further Discusses The Power Question

You can hardly find a single city, town or community in which a private power company supplies electricity to the ultimate consumers at anything like reasonable rates in all brackets and for all classes of service unless there is a public system to furnish competition. There are a few instances where the threat of public yardstick has forced private power companies to make sufficient reductions to kill off the demand for a public service system, but there they seem to stop; and if the threat of the yardstick is ever removed, they would undoubtedly raise their rates back to the old schedule. Private power companies never amortize their investment and will, no doubt, continue to exact this tribute indefinitely. If we had our own plant we would, in a short time, be able to generate and sell to ourselves energy as low in price as we could afford to purchase from TVA energy over our own distribution lines, if TVA were available. During the year 1938 the people of Mississippi used 366,132,000 kilowatt hours of electricity, for which they paid $9,976,497.00, under TVA rates the cost would have been $5,327,058.00, or $4,649,439.00 less; incidentally we could generate our own current with our own plant and save like this in Grenada in due time. If every county in Mississippi outside of the ones served by TVA power were required to bring in on an average of 2,000 bales of cotton a year, pile it up in the public square, and offer it as tribute it would not be sufficient to pay their overcharge for electric lights and power, for which we get nothing in return.

**Let's analize the city of Bartow, Florida with its 6,000 population. Bartow has its own plant and uses** steam to generate and has to import its fuel for this purpose from another state, during the year 1938 they generated 3,866,500 kilowatt hours of electricity, gave the city in free service 13,925 kilowatt hours of electricity, and sold the balance to the consumers of Bartow for $116,750.00, operation expenses amounted to $29,663.00, leaving a gross annual profit of $87,087.00. After paying interest on its indebtedness, taking care of depreciation, and so forth, it paid in taxes $1,703.00 and gave the city in CASH donations $77,841.00, or more than two thirds of its gross revenues. This really made their electricity cost the people of Bartow less per KWH than is paid for it by the ultimate consumers of TVA area.

Let's take a look at the city of Cordele, Georgia, they have their own plant and it serves the entire county as well as the city of Cordele, and their retail rates to their consumers average nine mills (9 mills) per kilowatt hour, and still they show a nice profit in 1938, think of us starting off at 10 cents per kilowatt and winding up at 4 cents as we hardly ever get in any other bracket. Would someone care to look over my figures and see if they have been accurately tabbed from figures that are compiled with data collected by the Federal Power Commission. I cordially invite you to do this if you care to. We are no exception from the human race, other people get out from under the overplus charges as we are now paying in our own town, we have the right to erect and operate our own plant and as the subject has been discussed for over ten years with threats or wishes that "someone" would do something about it, you are that "someone" as same as I and if we will pull together there is nothing that can stop up from getting our own plant.

C. W. (Red) BRISCOE

January 13, 1941.

## The Stork Flew By And Left . . .

a little son, William Grady Marter, for Mr. and Mrs. Grady Marter at Grenada Hospital on January 14, 1941

a little daughter, Elizabeth Keith, weight 8 pounds for Major and Mrs. Alfred Bryant, of Coffeeville, at Grenada Hospital, on January 15, 1941.

a little son for Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Guest of Memphis, at Grenada Hospital on January 12, 1941.

a little son, Walter Edward Constantine, for Mr. and Mrs. John Constantine in their home in Grenada on January 12, 1941.

Chester Brown must be getting prosperous, as he is now spending several months in Florida each Winter. Well, Chester has worked hard and deserves some rest.

## Miss Laura Watkins Died Here Wednesday

Death ended the long suffering of Miss Laura Watkins, 76, Wednesday, January 15, 1941, in Grenada Hospital.

She was the daughter of Mr. Enoch Watkins, native of this state, and Mrs. Elizabeth Wright Watkins, native of North Carolina, and was born in Grenada County. She was a staunch member of the Methodist church and a lady noted for her kindliness of spirit and gentleness of manner.

Burial was had at Spring Hill cemetery, six miles southwest of Grenada, Thursday with Rev. T. B. Thrower in charge of the burial service.

Close relatives surviving her include Mr. Clifford Patterson of Grenada, Mr. Jim Carroll of Durant, and Mrs. Jimmie Calvin, of Grenada, and to them our sympathy is extended.

A GRENADA AVIATRIX

Dorothy Trotman, Commercial, Corinth, Mississippi, is taking the first step toward becoming an aviatrix. We have been advised of this by Larston D. Farrar, Secretary of the Association of Commerce, Corinth. Dorothy, one of the few young ladies in Corinth who are interested in aviation— or learning to fly at this time, has enrolled in the ground school of the Civilian Pilot Training Program which is being held under sponsorship of the Corinth Association of Commerce. Since the class began, Dorothy has been one of the very few persons who has a perfect record of attendance. Unless all signs go awry, she will likely be chosen for one of the flight scholarships at the end of the ground course. "Whether I get to learn to fly or not, what I am learning about wind currents, clouds and other related subjects will not hurt me," she commented. "But I do want to learn to operate an airplane." Dorothy was the first of 32 students to sign for the course.— The Southern Bell News.

HE WASN'T FOOLING

Captain Moses was strolling through the Camp Blanding reservation on a dark night, near the Headquarters Battery area.

Suddenly Private .............. cried "Halt! Who goes there?"

"Captain Moses," was the reply.

The guard believing some smart rookie was trying to rib him said, "Advance, Captain Moses, and recite the Ten Commandments."

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## Giving Our Readers A Rest

[illegible] years, we have been giving readers [illegible] of editorial advice, little of which was [illegible] ... we are taking the path of least resistance [illegible] some splendid editorials plucked from issues of other newspapers in Mississippi.

## He'll Probably Run

[illegible]

We do not think that his candidacy would [illegible] ... —[illegible] News.

## Ashes On The Rug

[illegible]

These fixed matters of habit are a great comfort to a man. They relieve him of unnecessary thought and leave him to his preoccupations, since he is a creature of habit. Nor should a woman ever make the fatal mistake of [illegible] a man's habits because of their [illegible]. Take for instance, that goodbye kiss before going to the office in the morning. After awhile it may appear perfunctory or absent-minded, which is of course only the appearance and not the actuality. As a matter of fact, he gets just as much comfort out of the kiss as he does from the proper location of his ashtray, and to tell the truth, far more. So, wives, keep his ashtray in its accustomed place, and yourself where he can enjoy his [illegible] salutation.—Star Herald.

## Give The Goveraor A Chance

Governor Johnson declares that with proper cooperation of members of the legislature he may be able to cut the State tax bill in two.

The Governor should be given ample opportunity to do this.

He has many enemies in the legislature who perhaps may be inclined to oppose any proposal he makes simply because it comes from him.

Personal animosities and partisan politics should be sidetracked for the sake of such a worthy movement, especially since the new American slogan sweeping with patriotic fervor from the Atlantic to the Pacific is "Millions for defense, but not one cent for waste!"

Let's forget the small stuff. Let's get behind Governor Johnson and show the world that we Mississippians are willing to do our part.

"Do without or do it cheaper!"—Webster Progress.

## Most Discouraging Information

When properly considered, or diagnosed, we believe the most disrupting and discouraging condition ever known for the future of our country, can be found in a recent report made by Prof. Boud, director of the State Department of Public Welfare. It said:

"Of our population of over 2,000,000 more than 700,000 individuals are on the surplus commodity list, and are being given surplus commodities every month. This unusually large number is accounted for because in Mississippi we have no direct relief except commodities and also on account of successive crop failures in a majority of the counties during the last two or three years."

This report shows a condition that is not wholly necessary, and to a person who has lived among our people for three score years, it is down right ridiculous on its face. Of course there have been exceptions always, but it is absurd to think there is any excuse for one third of the people of Mississippi being on relief, when there is more money by two or three times, than there was forty years ago when necessary economical conditions were much worse than they have been in the past twenty years. To see people abandon every fundamental principle, especially every economical one, that their forefathers built this great country on, is not only ridiculous, but disgusting to any one with mother wit. The discouraging feature is to witness how it has grown by leaps and bounds since latter day politicians have encouraged it.—Winston County Journal.

## Prisoners At Large

More prisoners have escaped from the Mississippi penitentiary during the past twenty years than have been pardoned during the same period—a startling revelation.

This charge is made by a committee of the Mississippi Conference for Social Work, headed by George M. Etheridge, Jr.

Commenting on our present system of handling prisoners the committee reported:

"The system is inefficient because during the past 20 years more persons have escaped from the state penitentiary than have been released on paroles by the governor. There have been 1261 paroles granted and 1672 prisoners have escaped during this period. Of all the escapes, 640 are still at large.

"Our penal system is dangerous to the public well-being because too many prisoners are permitted to escape and remain at large, and because, except for reliance upon the overly exaggerated theory of punishment, it makes no effort to reform the criminal and turn him back to his community a good citizen."

Stating that though present practices were "undesirable," the committee took sympathetic recognizance of the conscientious efforts of this and prior administrations to administer parole in limited and varied forms. "An up-to-date parole system would take a heavy load off the governor, and would provide greater opportunities for reforming prisoners," the committee reported.

The statement further added: "According to authorities on crime prevention, approximately 50 per cent of the persons in the penitentiaries throughout the country today are second offenders. If Mississippi is ever to make progress in this greatly neglected field, it must inquire into the efficiency of its penal system. A modern penal system should first securely and impartially detain the prisoner, and, second, it should endeavor to reform the prisoner."—McComb Enterprise.

## Vichy And Britain

One of the most encouraging things Americans have found in the European news lately has been the courage of stubborn old Marchall Petain, French "chief of state." Starting with the blunt dismissal of Pierre Laval for trafficking with Hitler, Petain has gently but persistently refused to act as Hitler's man. In the face of grave danger to himself, he has seemed to grow steadily more independent.

Meanwhile reports from Vichy have told of the Germans "preparing intently the crucial, final phase of their attack on Britain." They are expected to launch it as soon as the weather, the tides and other factors seem most favorable.

The British are confident that they can repel such an onslaught. If Hitler is defeated in this supreme effort, Marshall Petain and other French patriots will be encouraged to strtonger resistance.—Greenwood Commonwealth.

## The Reason At Last!

Much gray matter is expended by advertisers in trying to convince the public to place its orders at once, but we doubt if any more convincing piece of copy has ever been written than this one:

"To the Public—The reason why I have hitherto been able to do painting so much cheaper than anybody else is that I am a bachelor and do not need to make a profit for the maintenance of a wife and children. 'Tis now my duty to inform the public that this advantage will shortly be withdrawn as I am about to be married. You will, therefore, do well to send in your orders at once for the old rate."—Wayne County News.

W. E. BUFFINGTON
Notary Public
At Grenada Trust & Banking Co.

FORECLOSURE NOTICE

WHEREAS, on December 11th, 1937, Rowland Johnson executed a trust deed under the terms of which the hereinafter described land was conveyed to O. D. Spratlin, Supt. Trustee to secure the payment to D. A. Williams, president of the Board of Supervisors or his successor in office of an indebtedness therein described, which trust deed is recorded in Book 71, Page 425, of the Mortgage Records of Grenada County, Mississippi; and whereas the undersigned was substituted as trustee on the margin of the record of said deed of trust in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Grenada County, Mississippi, said substitution having been ordered by the Board of Supervisors of Grenada County, Mississippi, at its regular January, 1941, meeting, said order appearing in Minute Book M, at page 291.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the performance of the condition of said trust deed, and the holder thereof has declared the entire indebtedness secured thereby due and has requested the undersigned to sell said lands as provided by said trust deed.

Therefore, the undersigned will, between eleven o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M., on January 31st, 1941, at the East door of the County Courthouse in Grenada, Mississippi, offer for sale and sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash the following described land in the aforesaid County and State:

South Half of Northwest Quarter and the Southeast Quarter and the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section seventeen; and Southeast Quarter of Southeast Quarter of Section eighteen; and North Half of Northwest Quarter of Section twenty; all in Township twenty-three, Range seven East.

The undersigned will convey only such title as is vested in him as such trustee.

S. C. MIMS, Trustee.
1-9, 16, 23, 30-180w.

## Seen, Heard and Told By The Editor

There are some wonderful wimmen in the world. Biddy Garner has lived with Sam twelve years. Fanny has lived with Ben McElwrath five years.

Miss Ruth Hunter, now capably filling an important office in the Tower Building in Jackson, was another prompt renewer.

Watch Il Duce begin to squirm in god fashion when his country begins to receive larger and larger doses of bombs.

Our good old Beat Five friend, Dr. A. S. Hill, turned over $1.50 to our safe keeping recently.


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# NOTICE TO
## HOME OWNERS SEEKING EXEMPTION

**The State Law emphatically requires that you MUST make application for Homestead exemption EVERY year before June First.**

Our office now has blanks to sign. As this is personalty year, I am not allowed the extra help as when I have to assess land also, and therefore, come to the office or catch me in the field.

REQUIREMENTS ARE MORE COMPLEX THIS YEAR THAN LAST

Sign Your Own Application In Person

**First, middle and last names of both man and wife must be given**

Only six applications from this county were turned down last year. Let's make a 100 percent record this year.

**L. S. McKNIGHT**
**COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR**

# Local and Social Activities

Mrs. W. W. Whitaker, Society Editor, Phones 83 and 747

## 20TH CENTURY CLUB STAGES PROGRAM AT GREENWOOD

In response to an invitation extended by the Woman's Club of Greenwood, the Twentieth Century Club of Grenada presented a very interesting program on Tuesday of this week at the club room of Greenwood's lovely Community House.

The program was preceded by a delightfully planned morning coffee honoring the out-of-town guests. This was at 10 o'clock.

The program was presided over by Grenada's Twentieth Century Club, President, Mrs. J. K. Avent, who in her usual charming manner introduced the members on the program, and at the conclusion, spoke graciously in appreciation of Greenwood's hospitality. The theme was, "Good Americans." Mrs. Cowles Horton spoke on the life of Lorenza Dowe, Mrs. R. L. Vandiver spoke on Nancy Hanks. Mrs. G. W. Patty spoke on Clara Barton and Mrs. J. L. Cooley, Jr., spoke on "The Unknown Soldier".

This splendid program was enthusiastically received.

Ladies from Grenada to attend were, Mesdames J. K. Avent, J. L. Cooley, Jr., Cowles Horton, R. L. Vandiver, G. W. Patty, H. L. Honeycutt, F. A. Stacy, E. A. Penn, E. E. Penn, J. C. Hathorn, O. L. Kimbrough, C. C. Waterman, J. T. Keeton, John Rundle and J. B. Perry, Sr.

## W. M. U. OFFICERS INSTALLATION

On Monday afternoon, the Rev. G. E. Wiley, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Grenada, presided at the installation of new officers of the Woman's Missionary Union. Mrs. J. B. Perry, Sr., assumed her duties as 1941 president at this time. The meeting was held at 3 o'clock in the substory of the Methodist Church. Mrs. John Rundle spoke most interestingly and earnestly on the subject, "The Urgency and Dire Need of the Gospel."

A splendid attendance was recorded. Next week, the W. M. U. will meet again in the substory of the Methodist Church for their regular Bible study program, presided over and taught by Mrs. John Rundle. The members expect to begin using their own church January 26th.

## FORTNIGHTLY CLUB

On Tuesday of last week the Fortnightly Club met at the home of Mrs. E. R. Pleasants with Mrs. L. E. Noble as hostess.

Due to quite a number of the members being ill, only thirteen were present. Mrs. J. L. Townes, Jr., vice president, presided in the absence of Mrs. C. C. Cathey. The roll call was answered by the members naming a famous American garden.

Mrs. Johnnie Lee, leader in charge of the afternoon program, presented Mrs. Noble, who spoke most interestingly on the beautiful Azalia garden "Bellingraph" located at Mobile, Ala.

Mrs. David Dubard's part on the program was a splendid discussion on Magnolia gardens in South Carolina.

A business meeting was held preceding the program and a report on the Christmas dance, given to raise money for the milk fund, was given.

The members enjoyed a social hour at close of the meeting and the hostess served coca colas.

## CIVIC LEAGUE

Mrs. R. B. Townes, Sr., was hostess at her home on College Blvd., last Wednesday, January 8th, to members of the Civic League. Mrs. J. F. Lufkin, president in 1940, presided at the opening of the meeting, graciously welcoming new 1941 officers.

This meeting was well attended, and was one of the most important of the year as plans for the ensuing year were made.

The following members were announced as 1941 officers: Mrs. E. L. Petz, president; Mrs. J. F. Lufkin, vice president; Mrs. A. W. Stokes, treasurer; Mrs. O. F. Lawrence, secretary; Mrs. J. E. Lufkin, reporter.

## ALL SAINTS AUXILIARY (Regular Meeting)

Meeting Monday, January 13th for the first Auxiliary meeting of the year. Mrs. E. R. Burkley, vice president, presided in the absence of the President, Miss Mary Strahan, who is ill.

Mrs. Sherwood, Secretary and Mrs. E. H. Weir, Treasurer, gave reports.

Mardi Gras Ball plans were discussed.

TWO YEARS OLD

MISS MARTHA FAY WILLIAMS

This pretty young lady, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams, Jr., celebrated her second birthday on January 14, 1941.

## W. S. OF C. S.

The Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the following homes this past Monday; at each meeting a short business session, pertaining to circle business, was held. This was followed by the regular study program.

Circle No. 1 met at the home of Misses Cuff.

Circle No. 2 met with Mrs. G. W. Patty.

Circle No. 3 met with Mrs. R. H. Herring.

Circle No. 4 met with Mrs. C. H. Smith.

Next Monday, the regular program meeting will be held in the Bible study class room at 3 o'clock.

## TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB MET AT 2:30

The charming living room of Mrs. Gertrude Marders' home was the scene of the regular meeting of the Tuesday Bridge Club this week. Lovely potted plants added their decorative beauty to the well arranged reception rooms.

Mesdames Will Jennings, Frank York and George Grant were non-member guests.

At the conclusion of the games, Mrs. Marders served delicious refreshments.

## PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY

Circle No. 3 met at the church Monday afternoon. The short business meeting was followed by a Bible study lesson taught by Mrs. Marguret Noel. This circle was hostess to the Business Girls Circle Monday evening. A delightfully planned supper was served to fifteen business girls at 7 o'clock.

No report from other circles.

**Honey gallons and half gallons**
FRENCH MARKET

Mesdames Mollie McLeod, Roy Burt (Winona) S. H. Garner, C. S. Burt and daughter, Jean Scott, spent Saturday in Memphis.

Messrs. Ronland Black and Harry Shanasen, of Chicago, were guests of Mr. Bill Salter at Glenwild this week, leaving for their home on Wednesday.

Mr. J. L. Cooley, Jr., and Mesdames J. L. Cooley, Jr., H. C. Calhoon and Miss Mary Haines attended the Memphis Auditorium's presentation of lovely Jeannette McDonal on Tuesday of this week. They attended the matinee.

**La. Syrup gallons and half gal.**
FRENCH MARKET

On Monday Mesdames H. Alexander and C. S. Liles, Misses Isabelle Bailey, Lucy Webb Sharp and Eloise Wilkins spent the day in Memphis.

Mr. Parrish Taylor, of Memphis, and his friend, Miss New, were guests of Mr. Taylor's mother, Mrs. Gertrude Marders, the past Sunday.

**Morton's Meat Salt**
FRENCH MARKET

Mrs. A. W. George and Mrs. W. M. Mitchell spent the past week-end, thru Monday, in Jackson visiting their sister, Mrs. Will Caldwell.

The Rev. and Mrs. T. B. Thrower, local pastor and wife, of the First Methodist Church, were hosts at dinner last Wednesday evening to the distinguished visitors, Bishop Hoyt M. Dobbs, of Jackson, and Bishop J. Loyd DeCell, of Atlanta, Ga., who were here attending the North Mississippi Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Brannon, of Durant, were Sunday guests of Mrs. R. E. Perry.

Miss Lida Coffman has been the guest of relatives at Shelby the past two weeks.

Mrs. H. B. Spain and her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Grider, and little son, Arthur Lanier, Jr., arrived from Memphis last week. Mr. and Mrs. Grider and baby are guests of their parents this week. Mr. Grider has been transfered from Memphis to Meridian, and after several weeks spent here, Mrs. Grider and baby will join him there to make their home.

Mrs. H. T. Pope, of Jackson, is the guest of her friend, Mrs. H. B. Spain this week.

Mrs. B. B. Baker and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, accompanied their son and brother, Bryan, Jr., on his return to Miss. State, last week. Young Claud Hall Hopkins, who spent the holidays here returned to his home at Tupelo at this time, and Mrs. Baker and daughter visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Parker. Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Parker are sisters.

Miss Gladys Martin, of Jackson, visited friends in Grenada the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hunter and their sister, Miss Ruth Hunter, of Jackson, who was spending the week-end here, spent Sunday in Acona with their mother, Mrs. J. H. Hunter.

Mr. Charlie Crenshaw, of Greenwood spent the week-end in Grenada.

**New salt Mackerel**
FRENCH MARKET

Fred Sullens is eternally right about his crusade against one-third of our people receiving commodities. He may be sincere in his crusade or he be fighting some individual, nobody knows.

**Save your meat with anti-skipper compound. French Market.**

Ain't they sweet.

In returning to Grenada Saturday night, just below Durant, we had a fleeting glance at a wrecked car and an entirely demolished wagon, and some poor man prone on the concrete. He probably was the driver of the wagon, and it is probable that he did not have a light or some kind of illuminating device on his wagon.

Our [illegible] except Eddie Dav[illegible] to take warning.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF

## GRENADA TRUST & BANKING COMPANY

of Grenada, Grenada County, in the State of Mississippi at the close of business on December 31st, 1940, made to State Comptroller, Department of Bank Supervision, State of Mississippi, in response to call made therefor as provided in Section 20 of Chapter 146, Laws of 1934 of Mississippi.

ASSETS

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Loans and discounts | | $145,930.50 |
| 2. | Overdrafts: Unsecured | $135.21 | 135.21 |
| 3. | United States Government obligations, direct and-or fully guaranteed | | 43,000.00 |
| 4. | Obligations of States and political subdivisions | | 228,325.00 |
| 5. | Other bonds, notes and debentures | | 6,500.00 |
| 7. | Cash in vault, exchanges, cash items and balances with other banks | | 186,657.37 |
| 9. | Banking House | $4,500.00 | 4,500.00 |
| 13. | TOTAL ASSETS | | $585,048.08 |

LIABILITIES

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| 14. | Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships or corporations | | $346,281.41 |
| 15. | Time deposits of individuals, partnerships or corporations | | 160,516.67 |
| 16. | Public deposits of States, counties, municipalities or other political subdivisons | | 15,000.00 |
| 19. | TOTAL DEPOSITS $521,798.08. (Amount not to be extended) | | |
| 24. | Capital Account: | | |
| | (c) Common stock | $20,000.00 | |
| | (d) Surplus | 30,000.00 | |
| | (e) Earned surplus | 10,000.00 | |
| | (f) Undivided profits | 1,850.00 | |
| | TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT | | 61,850.00 |
| 25. | Other Reserves | | 1,400.00 |
| 26. | TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNT | | $585,048.08 |

I, H. J. Ray, President, of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that the SCHEDULES on the back of this report fully and correctly represent the true state of the several matters therein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. J. RAY, President

Correct—Attest: R. SEMMES, COWLES HORTON, Directors

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Grenada.

Sworn to and subscribed before me by H. J. Ray, President, this the 13th day of January, 1941.

W. K. HUFFINGTON, Notary Public

My commission expires January 11th, 1942.

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

Mr. B. G. Garrard, formerly of Greenwood, is now in charge of our Meat Market Department, where he is ready to furnish choice cuts of both native and western meats at attractive prices.

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**DOES FORD PAY GOOD WAGES?**

HERE ARE SOME FACTS about Ford Labor.

During the year ended November 30th, 1940, the Ford Payroll throughout the United States averaged 113,628 hourly wage earners, not including office employes, students, or executives. They were paid $185,105,639.12. On this basis, the average annual wage was $1,629.05.

According to the latest available government figures, the annual average wage of all workers in employment covered by old age insurance law was $841.00.

If the 45,000,000 workers of this country received the same average wage as Ford employes, they would have had additional wages of more than $35,000,000,000, thus increasing the national income about 50%. Think what such an increase would mean to the workers of this country and to the American farmer, whose prices are based on the national income.

Wage scales in the Ford Rouge plants are divided into three classifications:

*Unskilled . . .*
Minimum hiring wage . 75c per hour

*Semi-skilled . . .*
Minimum hiring wage . 80c per hour

*Skilled . . .*
Minimum hiring wage . 90c per hour
Higher wages are in consideration of ability and years of service.

Minimum wage scales for unskilled labor at the Rouge plant are the highest in the industry. Top wages for skilled labor compare favorably with, or are higher than, wages in other automobile plants.

Now some facts on Ford labor conditions:

Not only are sanitation and other health conditions the best in the industry, but Ford also leads in safety devices for the protection of employes. Proof of this is found in the following comparison of compensation insurance costs:

The national average rate in automotive manufacturing plants as computed by the National Association of Underwriters is in excess of $1.50 premium on each $100 payroll. The Ford cost of workmen's compensation is less than 50c.

This indicates that the chance of injury in a Ford plant is much less than in the average automobile plant.

The Ford Motor Company has no age limit for labor, and in fact deliberately attempts to keep older workers working. The average age of Ford workers at the Rouge and nearby plants is 38.7.

A recent check-up shows that nearly one-half the workers at these Ford plants were 40 or over, falling into these age groups:

25,819 between 40 and 50
14,731 between 50 and 60
3,377 between 60 and 70
417 between 70 and 80
12 between 80 and 90

In addition to the so-called regular employes, the Ford Motor Company has hired, and now has on the payroll, at the same regular hourly wage, thousands of workers who are blind, crippled or otherwise incapacitated for normal productive work. They are not selected for their ability to build cars or to maintain the plant. They are on the payroll because of Henry Ford's belief that the responsibility of a large company to labor goes beyond the point at which the unfortunate worker can no longer produce profitably.

The above are facts. They are open to anyone who really wants to deal in facts. Anyone who wants to get a job . . . buy a car . . . or place a national defense contract on the basis of fair labor treatment must place Ford at the top of his eligible list.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY

## My Column

*Cpl. Whyte Whitaker, Jr.*

OUR LATRINES

It is said that cleanliness is next to godliness ... the army thinks so.

Our battery — as well as every unit stationed in Camp Blanding — has a modernistic latrine. The buildings have approximately 1000 quare feet of floor space.

Within the building are 10 showers with hot and cold water available 24 hours of the day. There are also seven wash basins that take care of 21 men at a time. Above these basins are mirrors for use in shaving and primping.

Every day a man is selected for latrine duty and is charged with keeping the building spotless. Sanitation is stressed and must be adhered to in the army.

A daily inspection by the medical officer makes sure that no one becomes lax in the execution of this duty. Men are required to shave daily, and bathe frequently — but with such ideal conditions, it is seldom necessary to remind them of the regulations in this respect.

The greatest obstacle in the operation of daily mail service to the soldiers is the negligence of correspondents in addressing mail, according to Lieut. Horace G. Towell, Dixie postal officer. He urges that correspondents be advised to include the full designation in the soldier's addresses.

CRIME DON'T PAY

SGT. JACKSON, PVT ROANE

The above picture illustrates the futility of crime, as hard-boiled Sgt. Sidney Jackson has Pvt. William "Hoot" Roane in custody.

CAMP BLANDING OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN ARE PAID $700,000, JAN. 2

Uncle Sam paid 11,000 enlisted men $450,000—the average pay was a little over $40.00 per man.

The commissioned officers, there are 800 in Camp Blanding, received $250,000 smackers. The approximate average wage for them was $312.00.

The average officer is paid 8 times as much as the average enlisted man.

SCHOOL DAYS BEGAN FOR SELECTED OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN OF DIXIE DIVISION LAST WEEK

Hi, Ho, Hi, Ho, it's back to school for 200 officers and enlisted men of the 31st Dixie Division.

Practically speaking, the schools in brief form consists of the following units:

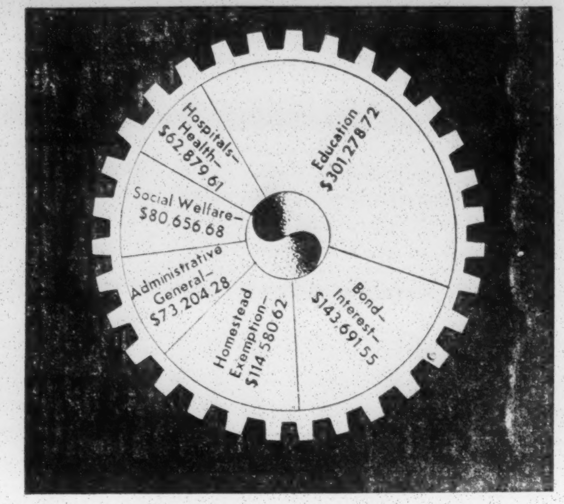
Motor vehicle control, care, operation and convoy; cooks and bakers; military law; armorers and artificers; technical training; clerks; supply; survey; intelligence; chemical warfare; communications; chalpains; advanced tactics and logistics and refresher courses.

The men of our battery selected for the various schools are as follows: Communications, Lieut. McCormick; Battery Executive, Lt. Davis; Automatic Rifle School, Corporal Lane; Survey School, Sgt. Thiesman, Cpl. Whitaker, Pvts. Roane, Tims, Schmitz and Sulliman; Cook School, Pvt. Bagwell; Motor Vehicle School, Sgt. Burt, and Machanics School, Pvts. Hardy and McPhail.

Second Lieut. John W. Baskin, of Greenville, Miss. has been attached to Hq. Btry. since Capt. Shaw has gone to school at Fort Sill, Okla. He is an able and efficient young officer and we are fortunate in having him with us.

A letter from Capt. Shaw states that he is settled in Lawton, Okla. convenient to his classes, but that he envies us the Florida sun, (of which so far we have seen very little) and would gladly exchange some of the cold winds of Oklahoma for some balmy??? Southern breezes.

The health of Hq. Btry. has been above the camp average and it is hoped that it will continue to be. We had five men in the hospital at one time, four with colds or flu and one with an infected ankle, but all are back on duty, except Pvt. Ingram and it is hoped that his ankle will allow him to return to quarters in a few days as he is reported much improved. Many batteries have had as high as twenty or twenty-five in the hospital at once, but all cases of flu have been very mild and the number of new cases reported dropping daily.


*an important cog*

IN PROGRESSIVE GOVERNMENT

The Beer Industry in Mississippi, providing honest jobs for 11,000 Mississippians, paid $776,294.46 to the State of Mississippi in excise taxes in 1939.

Based on a summary of the 1940-42 General Fund Budget of the State, the Beer Industry's tax contribution to Good Government in Mississippi in 1940 was:

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|---|---|
| $301,278.72 | to educate children in public schools and colleges, including $22,900.60 for free school books. |
| $ 62,879.61 | to support of hospitals, health service and eleemosynary institutions. |
| $ 80,656.68 | to social welfare, including Confederate Pensions, Old Age assistance and dependent children. |
| $ 73,204.28 | to the administrative, judiciary, legislative and general expenses of state government. |
| $114,580.62 | to Homestead Exemption. |
| $143,691.55 | for Bond Maturities and Interest. |

In addition to the $776,294.46 excise taxes, the Beer Industry pays over $250,000.00 annually in ad valorem, privilege and gasoline taxes each year.

Without the beer industry's tax contribution, this $1,000,000.00 would have to be raised through new or increased taxes.

It is good business, therefore for Mississippians to cooperate with the clean-up or close-up program of this Committee by patronizing only those retail beer outlets which are conducted in accord with the law and public sentiment.

**BREWERS and MISSISSIPPI BEER DISTRIBUTORS COMMITTEE**

W. W. PIERCE, STATE DIRECTOR — 605 MILLSAPS BLDG. JACKSON, MISS.


— GORE SPRINGS NEWS —

Mr. Charlie Worsham's many friends regret to learn that he has been seriously ill, but are proud to know that he is much better at this writing.

Several have returned to school this week, who were absent last week on account of flu, while others have dropped out this week.

Miss Sadie Ross, of Cleveland, is the charming guest of her aunt this week, Mrs. Guy James.

**Firgo liquid smoke**

FRENCH MARKET

Mrs. T. J. Morman, who had an operation in the Grenada Hospital two weeks ago returned home Saturday.

Prof. and Mrs. Eugene McGahey and little daughter, Martha Nell, spent Sunday in Calhoun City as guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. McGahey.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Tribble and two children, of Grenada, visited in the homes of Mesdames Dora Sultan and Annie Tharpe Sunday.

Mrs. L. B. Dayton left Thursday for Wayside, where she will be the guest of Mrs. M. H. James.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Chamberlain spent the week-end in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Trussell.

Rev. McKibben, of Duck Hill, filled his regular appointment at Gore Springs Sunday.

The fence around the school building has been completed and part of the shrubbery put out. The Women's H. D. Club and the school have sponsored this work which will add so much to the appearance of the school building.

OFFICIAL NOTICE

The special assessments for street improvements upon the following portions of the following streets in the City of Grenada, Mississippi, to-wit:

Hoffa Street from Govan Street to Pecan Street;

Mound Street from Corporation Line to Govan Street.

Bell Street from College Street to Line Street;

Green Street from Second Street to Fourth Street.

Donkin Street from College Street to Line Street;

Church Street from Depot Street to Second Street;

Lynch Street from Margin Street to Union Street.

East Street from Margin Street to Cherry Street.

West Street from South Street to Cherry Street;

South Street from Corporation Line to Commerce Street

Line Street from Cherry Street to Pearl Street;

have been made and filed with the undersigned Clerk of said City and are open to the inspection and objection of property owners who shall have two full weeks (fourteen days) after the second publication of this notice to make such objections as they may have thereto. Objections may be filed with the undersigned or presented to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of said City at its regular meeting place or by both such manners.

Witness my signature this January 14, 1940.

W. Y. WEST, City Clerk.

1-16, 23-190w.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Whereas, under date of November 13th, 1940, the undersigned was appointed Administratrix of the Estate of W. H. Martin, Deceased, with will annexed, by the Chancery Court of Grenada County, Mississippi, NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within six months from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This 15th day of January, A. D. 1941.

Mrs. Theo. (W. H.) Martin, Administratrix.

1-16, 23, 30-90w.

THE SOUTH

(Continued from page 1)

ence, could be eliminated or controlled Malaria takes its toll of a third of Southern laborers' industrial productivity. Pellagra, the disease of malnutrition is easily preventable. Perhaps half of the school children receive inadequate diets, and tuberculosis, rickets and anemia generally harass them.

Farms are small. One farm in five is less than 20 acres, yet two-thirds of the nation's tenant farmers live here. One-half of all farmers in these thirteen states are tenants. You can figure for yourself how the landlord has to struggle to pay taxes on land, in many cases, worn out or depleted fields, with his part of the crop, the rental rate based on the rent terms made at the close of the Civil War, when land was rich and taxes low. Another condition of grave concern to the entire South are the estimated 20 million acres of badly eroded soil. Think of the lost wealth of harvests of corn, cotton and tobacco.

There are no more deserving people in the world than Southerners, yet, according to modern housing standards, half the farm houses are inadequate for human habitation. Only one farm house in 20 has water piped in to the house. Only one-third of them are screened against mosquitoes and flies. One farm in five does not have a toilet.

The urban homes are inadequate, two out of five being sub-standard. This sketch of our assets and liabilities is of course surprising and in part unpleasant. These facts and figures are not mine, they are gleanings of scholarly people who have been granted much time for research and a survey of the South's problems.

Senator Claud Pepper, of Florida, in speaking of the South had this to say at a forum at the University of South Carolina, held early this year:

"Let us look at some of the causes of these dark shadows across the picture of the South. Until the war between the States, this region was in many respects the richest section of the nation. The devastation of the war itself and the subsequent reconstruction cannot be estimated in terms of money. The accumulated capital represented by slaves alone has been estimated at 3 billion. This was wiped out together with other forms of capital. The whole "going concern" value of the South was discipated. The waste of cities pillaged, and homes and factories burned, her young men killed or maimed, and women and children ravaged by disease and starvation, left the South prostrated at the mercy of a bitter and hostile North. Under these tremendous handicaps her efforts to build herself anew inevitably forced the south to place herself in hock to the remainder of the nation. The passions and prejudices of this terrible Civil War are gone, but the economic burdens which were its aftermath in the south are deeply entrenched and linger on to plague her people." How true and what a challenge! For two decades the south was ruled by military power and the rest of the ensuing time, up to the past six years the south has been ruled by an economic rule as strong as any military rule.

In the last analysis, what the South shall be, her people, not her resources or her climate, will determine. We know ourselves to be a part of this great nation. We ever stand ready to help other sections of our country solve their problems and we ask aid in the solution of ours."

Our Southland led the nation to a new sense of right in the eighties and nineties and set in motion the ideals and social justice which swept on down through William Jennings Bryan, Woodrow Wilson and Franklin D. Roosevelt. Always remember that the tradition of the South is positive, not negative. There are great dreams to be dreamed, and mighty works to be done in our South, in our great America and in the troubled world. And these things cannot be done by those who sit beside the road.

(This is the first of several articles to appear. Next week I will try to show the New Deal benefits to the South over a period of six years, as based on Federal government reports.)


THE TRIPLE-PROFIT AUTOMOBILE FRANCHISE

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## EDITORIAL

"How doth the little busy bee improve each shining hour?" is the quotation that each student probably learned long before he reached high school, and to which he most likely gave little thought. But when he stops to consider what "improving each shining hour" would mean, the poem really takes on a greater meaning. There is a great need for improvement in nearly all of our daily habits. In the census taken this week the thing which the most people are ashamed of these grades, or handwriting, or whatever the case may be, to try to improve, and so make the thing which shames one most into an asset of which one can be proud?

## CHAPEL PROGRAM

Mr. Rundle read a few verses from Matthew, which were he said might be called a page from a fisherman's diary. After reading the verses about the fisherman who caught nothing, Mr. Rundle asked whether the pupils had found that during the first months they had caught nothing. He commented on the fact that at this time, as in no other time past, strong, well educated boys and girls are needed, and he urged us during the coming months to prepare ourselves so that at the end of that time we will not discover we have caught nothing.

## BASKETBALL TEAM IN DOUBLE-HEADER

Tuesday night four basketball games were played between the Cascilla, Grenada and Water Valley teams. The Grenada girls lost to the Water Valley girls in the first game. In the second game G. H. S. boys were defeated by Water Valley boys. In the final games Cascilla girls beat Water Valley and Cascilla boys beat Water Valley boys. The next game will be with Batesville at Batesville's gymnasium Friday night.

## INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT

Each year Grenada invites the neighboring basketball teams to a two day tournament in G. H. S. gymnasium. This year the invitational meet will be Friday and Saturday, January 17th and 18th. The admission Friday afternoon will be 10c for children and 20c for adults. There wil be six preliminary games played. Saturday the games wil start at 9 o'clock. The admission from 9 o'clock to 6 o'clock will be 15c and 25c. The night games, in which the finals will be played, will start at 7 o'clock. The admission is 15c and 25c.

## WASTE BASKET

Exams! Cram! those two words seem to whirl around and around in my brain (?) But through the fog of learning there comes a vague recollection that Hazel Turner has been putting one over on us by stepping out with Fred Hodges—John Caldwell comes in somewhere, too—

Ruth Townes was eating crackers instead of sundaes. Maybe she's economizing so she can send more letters to Pensacola.

How about Barbara Nell Roberts and Billy Harper?

"Poor" Keeton.

Girls, they're not worth fussing over—or are they? Ask Estelle Bailey and Mildred Moss.

Frankie Marascalco has taken a shine to Billie Guy Thomas—where does Sarah come in?

Billy Townsend has deposited his Senior ring elsewhere? Who's the lucky girl?

Lynn Rose is girl-stealing again

Miss Williamson: "Camilla, what kind of mosquitio carries yellow fever and where do we find this type of mosquito?"

Camilla Smith: "Junior Hayes, Holcomb, Miss."

Lillian York definitely doesn't like the name "Helen."

Jean Geeslin is doing all right even with Greenwood competition.

Heard about Betty Rule and Ed Penn?

So long, KATY.

After a cross section census of what the students are ashamed of we have this complication of true confessions:

I AM MOST ASHAMED OF:

Clovis Caldwell—Being introduced to a girl.

Frances McIlvain—My school work.

Camilla Smith—Girls basketball team.

Tommy Houston—Boys basketball team.

Maude Ellen Tilghman—My timidity.

Robert Tinsel—My big ears.

Polly Richardson—My big mouth.

Vivian Thompson—Long legs.

[illegible] Hill—My singing.

Loraine Burt—My Algebra.

Pauline Elliott—Being so little.

Billy Townsend—My extreme bashfulness.

Marguerite Stanley—My freckles.

Isabel Gattis—My Chemistry grades.

E. R. Smith—That my feet aren't as small as William Spears'.

Jackie Lane—The way I pop gum in Miss Show's room.

Marjorie Chapman—Saying "It was me," to Miss Turner.

Katy Carlisle—My penmanship.

Ed McCormick—My English grades.

Benton Keeton—Many things of the past and probably many things of the future.

Bernice Jones—It's all myself and ashamed to say.

Margie White—Frowning.

Lewis Hester—General Business.

Margaret Spain—Talking so much.

Billy Theisman—My dumbness.

Mae Bailey—My inability to memorize.

Dale Harper—Biting my fingernails.

Ruby Grantham—American Government grades.

Willie Semmes—Of never riding in town with a date (to quote "Poor" Keeton.)

Margaret Green—My hands.

Mary Lou Cullen and Mary Moore Juchheim—our basketball shirts.

Olivia Pullum—Asking my boy friend for his autograph.

Jean Thomas—My outbursts in English class.

Leon Provine—My capacity for eating.

Essie Nash and Elsie Thompson—Being fat.

Merlene Harbin—My pimples.

"Poor" Keeton—Of being an adolescent dope. (To quote Gracie)

Bedford Thompson—My dirty basketball shirt.

Teddy Revell—Taking Latin.

Lillian Calloway—Long fingers.

Polly Parker—Algebra.

Mary Elizabeth Horton and Caroline Whitaker—Our habits.

Miss Turner—Katy Carlisle.

Bobby Weir—I am a perfect and upright young man, ashamed of nothing.

Anne Duncan—My frankness.

Dorothy Fisher—Shorthand grades.

Laverne Wilson—All of my bad habits. (Would B. J. be one of these?)

Louise Avent—I am ashamed of me!

Mabel Thompson—Being silly.

Jay Gore—Band try out grade.

Edgar Turnipseed—Not being able to get a certain girl.

Johnny Mitchell and Billy Buck Shaw—Going to school.

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## Seen, Heard and Told By The Editor

Nobody around Grenada seems to [illegible]

[illegible] at least twice as large as Grenada has the sum of no stop lights.

Aside from Jackson and Hattiesburg, business in the towns we passed through appeared dead as a door nail. It was "commodity day" in [illegible] and we saw a lot of folks with [illegible] of commodities.

[illegible]

Eleven conscripts were on our bus coming down to Hattiesburg. They were probably poured into Camp Shelby if they continued the trend.

This war is coming "home" to most of us now, and will continue to become more and more personal, as other boys are beckoned with the lank, bony finger of Uncle Sam.

Drum this typewriter.

Bring your NEXT order to the GCW.

MT. NEBO NEWS

Mrs. James Kelly, of Clarksdale, visited her brother, John Provine, last week. She and Mrs. John Provine on Saturday motored to Holly Springs to visit Mrs. Provine's mother, Mrs. Mattie Jones.

We are truly blessed to have two such good men and their families [illegible] our community as Tuck [illegible] and Joe Harris [illegible] The Harrisons [illegible] standing friends of [illegible] community bet-ter by living in it. Good luck to all these new comers, and we get them on the GCW mailing list or know the reason why.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Suggs are on a motor trip to friends and relatives at Oak Grove, La.

We had a long talk with Tude Suggs and his fine son, Sammy, last Friday. Tude says, (we quote) "We should all hang together and cooperate on all Federal projects, saw wood and say little, make every edge cut, hew to the line, and let chips fall where they will." Tude is our idea of a model farmer. He gets what's coming out of his land, but while doing so, builds it up. It gets better all the time. We need more like him.

Buck Wright, of Cole's Creek community, visited his old friend, Hardy Carter Sunday. Buck is the type of man who does things. He qualified as a master farmer of Calhoun County.

And we are going to lose Phil Cook and his estimable family. They will soon be moving to their brand new residence near Haserway. By his untiring energy and skill as a super farmer and honesty, qualified as a [illegible] home buyer. They are building the Cooks an up to the minute house, barn and all the trimings on an eighty acre, home near Haserway. No kinder neighbors live than these folks.

CARD OF THANKS

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Sincerely,
Mr. and Mrs. John Constantine.

GRENADA HIGH BULLDOG

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"Mutt" Tate—My loud mouth.

Martha Johnsey—My feet.

Ernestine McNulty—For letting Sea Biscuit run around dirty. (That's my car.)

Father: "Why don't you get out and find a job? When I was your age, I was working for $3.00 a week in a store, and at the end of 5 years I owned the store."

Son: "You can't do it nowadays. They have cash registers."

Pastor: "Don't get flip with me, young man; I may preach at your funeral some day."

Smarty: "If you do, it'll be over my dead body."

"It's silly for anybody to keep a rabbit's foot. He had four of them and it didn't do him any good.

First old maid; "What did you get on your birthday?"

Second old maid: "A year older."

Then there was the fellow, who went to too many movies on school nights, and who wrote on exam papers, "Any resemblance to the actual answers is purely coincidental."


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SATURDAY, JANUARY 18
Return Of Wild Bill
[illegible] Chapter No. 1 "The Green Archer" 10-30c

Owl Show Saturday 10:30 p.m. and Sunday afternoon [illegible]
Dr. Kildares Crisis
with
Lew Ayres, Lionel Barrymore, Laraine Day. Added, Matty Malneck and Orchestra. Color Cartoon 10-30c

MONDAY, JANUARY 20
Charlie Chan At The Wax Museum
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Sidney Toler, Joan Valerie. Also Community Sing, Stranger Than Fiction.
PAL NIGHT—2 Admit 30c

TUESDAY—WEDNESDAY JANUARY 21-22
TIN PAN ALLEY
with
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THURSDAY—FRIDAY, JANUARY 23-24
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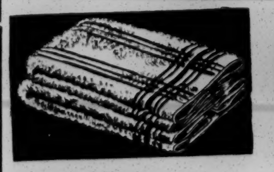

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